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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF UTAH, CENTRAL DIVISION

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SHADRACH ENNIS, NICOLAAS  
VANLEEUEWEN, and TERRANCE  
JESCLARD, individually and on behalf of all  
others similarly situated,

Plaintiffs,

v.

ALDER PROTECTION HOLDINGS, LLC, a  
Delaware limited liability company; ALDER  
HOLDINGS, LLC, a Utah limited liability  
company; ADAM SCHANZ, an individual;  
ADAM CHRISTIAN, an individual; KYLE  
DEMORDAUNT, an individual; DANE  
MCCARTNEY, an individual; COVE  
SMART, LLC, a Delaware limited liability  
company; and DOES I–X,

Defendants.

MEMORANDUM DECISION AND  
ORDER MOTION TO SUBSTITUTE  
REDACTED VERSIONS OF  
DOCUMENTS

Case No. 2:19-cv-00512-CW-DBP

Judge Clark Waddoups

Chief Magistrate Judge Dustin B. Pead

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Defendants move the court to substitute redacted versions for certain documents that contain personal identifies. (ECF No. 268.) Specifically, Defendants seek to substitute docket nos. 266-13, 266-14, 266-15, and 266-16. The court will grant the motion.

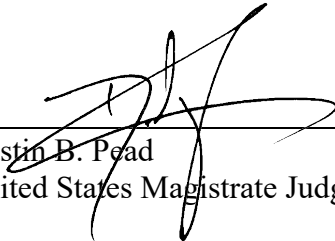
“The records of the court are presumptively open to the public,” and sealing court documents is “highly discouraged.” DUCivR 5-3(a)(1). The right of access to judicial records, however, is not absolute. *Colony Ins. Co. v. Burke*, 698 F.3d 1222, 1241 (10th Cir. 2012).

“[T]he presumption in favor of access to judicial records may be overcome where countervailing interests heavily outweigh the public interests in access.” *Id.* (internal quotation marks omitted). “The burden is on the party seeking to restrict access to show some significant interest that outweighs the presumption.” *Id.* (internal quotation marks omitted).

Under the Local Rules personal identifiers listed in Fed. R. Civ. P. 5.2 are to be redacted. *See* DUCivR 5.2-1. These include items such as the year of an individual's birth, the last four digits of a social-security number, or a taxpayer-identification number. As noted by Defendants, the exhibits will still be accessible but certain identifiers will be redacted. The court is persuaded that the redacted documents should be filed.

Accordingly, the motion is GRANTED.

DATED this 20 July 2023.



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Dustin B. Pead  
United States Magistrate Judge